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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 5 with the following amended paragraph:

**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION**

-- This application is a continuation-in-part of copending claims priority to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/721,749, filed November 26, 2003, ~~and~~ entitled EXTERNAL DETECTION OF OPTIONAL TELEPHONE SERVICES, which claims priority from ~~and to~~ U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/509,274, filed October 8, 2003, and entitled EXTERNAL DETECTION OF OPTIONAL TELEPHONE SERVICES. --